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**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SWITCHING AND ROUTING DATA ASSOCIATED
WITH A SUBSCRIBER COMMUNITY**

The enclosed application is: X Original

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- X Specification, Claims and Abstract (41 Total Pages);
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- X Patent Application Bibliographic Datasheet (Print EFS Version 1.0.1) (2 pages);
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